From: Noel McRae
To: Microsoft ATR
Date: 11/23/01 9:48am
Subject: Microsoft settlement

I am concerned about the short term settlement. Will Microsoft in 5 years be allowed to run rough shod over smaller and espec. startup companies as they had in the past?

Will the settlement be a means of extending their monopoly and even hurt others? for example, if they contribute 1 billion dollars to schools using Intel products, that will seriously undermine the Macintosh's roll in schools. Why not make it so the schools can get equipment of their choice - either Intel or Apple?